KCC 4982 (K-C 19,185) PATENT

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT A

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS,

Prior to any further examination of this application, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 14 of this paper.

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CONCLUSION

In light of the foregoing, applicants request entry of the present amendment and favorable consideration of all pending claims.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge \$250.00 (for additional claim fees) and any fee deficiency in connection with this amendment to Deposit Account Number 19-1345.

Respectfully submitted,

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